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Interview Summary	Application No. 10/660,166	Applicant(s) DAY ET AL.	
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Date of Interview: 18 October 2006.

Type: a) ☐ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
 c) ☒ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☒ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☐ No.
 If Yes, brief description: _____

Claim(s) discussed: 2.

Identification of prior art discussed: Zait and Iyer reference.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Discussed objections to the Affidavit 1.131 to further discuss and clearly point out conception with respect to the claims, and to further discuss diligence. Discussed possible amendments to claims 2.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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Supplemental Interview Summary

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Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Notified Applicant's representative 10/18/06 over the phone about receiving this supplemental interview summary in order to clarify for the record what types of amendments to claim 2 was discussed during the interview. As discussed in the interview and agreed over the phone possible amendments to claim 2 was to be incorporated into independent claims to further explain that the first join order obtains a first portion of the query result and dynamically based on the performance statistics, changing the first join order to a another join order to optimize the query during execution of the query to obtain the rest of the query result.



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